

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Hiroyuki TANAKA et al.

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For: ELECTRONIC CASH

REGISTER SYSTEM

Art Unit: 3627

Examiner: Rudy, Andrew J.

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated July 30, 2004. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amend claims 1 and 19.

Amend the specification.